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POLICEMEN WEAR BADGES. They protect everybody against bad things like crooks and speeders. When you get lost they find you and buy you ice cream. When policemen aren't catching crooks they stand in the middle of the street and blow whistles when it's time to go. Off-duty policemen like to take off their uniforms and relax with something pleasant and interesting like the newspaper. In Torrance more policemen relax with the Torrance Herald than any other newspaper because it's fuller of pleasure and interest. More secretaries, construction workers and tool designers think so, too. And no wonder, for the Herald is out front by far in circulation (it provides the only audited home delivery solid coverage of the Greater Torrance area). You can count on more from the Herald because more goes into the Herald!

## Steel Band Performs Saturday

Saturday afternoon patrons of the Rolling Hills Plaza, Crenshaw Blvd. and 101 Hwy., will be entertained by the "Virgin Island Steel Band." The group, composed of seven musicians, will make their only Torrance appearance at the public concert. the public concert.

The group plays a full reper-toire of authentic Virgin Island pageantry music, including Gershwin, on four large steel

Originating after World War II, the group used discarded oil drums to keep instrument cost at a minimum. Also in the cost at a minimum. Also in the instrument group are discarded steel barrels and garbage cans. They give out different notes because of indenting the tops. Today the group heats the barrels red hot and uses a sledge hammer to shape the heads until the proper tuning is obtained.

The Afro-Cuban dances, and the Virgin Island music has been heard by hundreds of thousands of Southern Californians.

## **Annual Family Festival Plans Get Underway**

Robert Denton of Lomita Robert Denton of Lomita this week was named director of the South Bay's Fourth Annual International Family Festival. Mrs. Marvin Garrett, Manhattan Beach, was named general chairman.

The festival is scheduled for Oct. 21 and 22 at the Aviation High School.

OTHER committee chairmen are Mrs. Lynn Rigby, Gardena; Mrs. Victor Paieda, Harbor City; Mr. and Mrs. Nives Quinn, San Pedro; Kenneth Harms, Hermosa Beach; Phillip La Loggin and Mrs. Wilene Taylor, Redondo Beach; Mrs. Robert Eaby, Inglewood; and Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. Henry Schroerluke, and Mrs. Ted Quinn, Manhattan Beach.

The committee plans to compile exhibits representing all parts of the world. Exotic dancers and folk singers will highlight exhibits of arts and handicrafts from many lands.

handicrafts from many lands. An international buffet will be served and donations will be asked to cover expenses.

"THIS IS an event for the community," Garrett said, "which is molded from the talent, artistry and love of culture to be found throughout our area."

Persons desiring to offer their time or talent to the festival may contact Mrs. Henry Schroerluke, 620 23rd St., Manhattan Beach, FR 6-3976 or Mrs. Victor Paieda, 1630 247th Place, Harbor City, DA 5-3976.

## Civil Service **Applicants Are Being Sought**

Accounting clerks and accounting technicians are being solight to perform duties in the government's accounting programs, Bernard Rosen, director, Twelfth U.S. Civil Service, Region, annumed, this

rector, Twelfth U.S. Civil Service Region, announced this week.

These positions, in California and Nevada, pay entrance salaries of \$4040 to \$4830 a year. Applications for the written test will be received until Aug. 14. Interested persons may file applications with the director. Twelfth U. S. Civil director. Twelfth U. S. Civil Service Region, Room 128 Appraisers Building, 630 Sansome, San Francisco 11, Calif.



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